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### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.
   A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - The drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwriting, interlineations, folds, and copy marks. See Figure(s) 2 (crossed out portions).
- An abstract of the technical disclosure not exceeding 150 words in length and commencing on a separate sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 1.72(b) is required. An abstract was not provided for this application.

### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$900 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
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Sir:

In reply to the Notice of Allowance missing parts, please review the following. A copy of the Notice is attached.

- The filing fee was included with the Amendment to convert the provisional application Serial No. 60/454,661 to a utility application mailed on February 3, 2004. See the attached copy of the Amendment with a Fee Transmittal and a copy of check no. 187757 for \$940.
- 2. A copy of the Declaration is attached. The late filing fee can be charged to our Account No. 01-1780.
- An assignment is attached with a Transmittal Form. The assignment fee was part of the \$940 payment.

- 4. New drawings are attached.
- 5. An Abstract is attached.

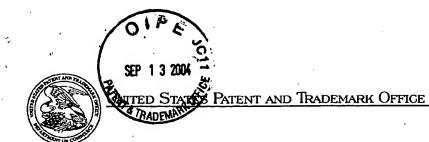
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